

Christian Carter, of the...
Willa Wheeler has returned home...
Mr. John Smith, of King George, was the guest of Mr. E. J. Smith, of this city recently.
Mr. Will Jones, of Fredericksburg, is visiting in the village—Morrisville, Va.
Mrs. John F. Scott and son are visiting relatives and friends at Remington, Fauquier county.
Mr. Abner G. Willis, of Culpeper, was the guest of his nephew, Mayor M. G. Willis, Saturday.
Miss Susan Jenkins, of Setauket, caught a carrier pigeon April 25. The tag number was 11 "G. 3512".
Rev. Dr. J. W. Duffy, Presiding Elder, preached at the Methodist church Sunday morning and night.
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wallace, of Richmond, were the guests of Mrs. Bettie G. Wallace here Sunday.
Mrs. H. I. Warren, of Orange, is spending several days here with the Harkamp family, on Hanover St.
Messrs. John R. Jones and T. S. Shepherd have returned from business trips in Orange and Caroline.
Mr. J. B. Rawlings of Baltimore, spent Sunday here with the family of his brother Mr. James R. Rawlings.
Mr. T. B. McKelroy returned home by steamer Saturday night from a business trip of a week down the river.
Wanted—A Book keeper. Address in writing, "A. B. C." Fredericksburg, Va., and state what salary expected.
Mrs. J. Edward Taylor, of Baltimore, with her son is visiting the family of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Scott.
Rev. Geo. T. Tyler, pastor of the Methodist church here, preached at Andrew's Chapel, in Stafford, Sunday morning.
The many friends of Mrs. M. E. Schooler will be pleased to learn that she continues to improve from her late illness.
Lullaby wedding at the Opera House Friday night, May 2nd. Among the other features Miss Helen Kollman will recite.
Fredericksburg College baseball team won a game from Hope Academy, at Blackstone, Va., Friday, by a score of 9 to 8.
There have been 47 registrations in the Upper Ward and 60 in the Lower up to this time. Registration closes on May 13th.
Councilman W. H. Harkamp has returned home from New York, where he was best man at the Harkamp-Murphy wedding.
Ready-made shirt waists, Gibson style; white waist, muslin waist, percale waist; waists made to fit at C. W. Jones' new store.
Miss Annie Hall and Miss Cora Mills, of Spotsylvania county, spent last week at the home of Mrs. R. F. Dillard, at Chilesburg.
You should have a good photograph of yourself. The Davis Photograph Studio is prepared to make any style you may desire.
Miss Nannie Ficklen, of "Belmont," near Falmouth, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Rufus Owens, near Houston, in Halifax county.
Miss Fannie Gayle has returned to her home in Spotsylvania county from Fauquier county, where she taught school the past session.
Mrs. Henry R. Lewis, of Cleve, King George county, has returned from a visit of two weeks to her mother, Mrs. W. H. Redwood, in Baltimore.
On Saturday a high wind prevailed all day and the dust was very disagreeable. At night a refreshing shower fell, and Sunday was an ideal day.
Fredericksburg College team was defeated at Hampden-Sydney Friday, score 8 to 2; and by Richmond College Saturday at Richmond, score 25 to 18.
Attorney T. W. Berrey, of Stafford, has been spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Berrey, at Criglersville—Madison Free Press.
Col. Lewis O. Magrath has donated a lot on Lee Avenue to the Peoples Mission. Deacon George A. Mills will at an early date commence the erection of a house of worship.
Miss Frances L. Perry, who has been the house nurse at the Mary Washington Hospital for several months, has gone to Richmond to accept a position in a hospital there.
St. Thomas' Church, at Orange has elected Mr. John G. Williams delegate to the Episcopal Council, which meets in this city May 21st, with Mr. E. F. Tolson alternate.
Mr. A. Loewenson, who is now on a visit to Switzerland, reports that he has sold his clock patent to a party in that country for a good price. He and family will return home about July 1st.
The marriage of Miss Kate Dew, sister of Dr. Thos. W. Dew of Lewiston, Spotsylvania county, and Judge Robert E. Wall, of the same county will take place at Waller's church some time in the month of June.
A game of baseball was played at Garrisonville Saturday between the 2nd team of the Fredericksburg College and the Garrisonville nine, which resulted in a score of 23 to 3 in favor of the Garrisonville boys.
Messrs. Slaughter and Griffin, the well-known real estate and insurance agents of this city, are selling considerable real estate of late, among the most recent sales being the H. C. Martens farm in Stafford county.
We hear that it is being told the people, that Jones will charge more for his goods to pay for his new store. But do not listen to such poor argument, but go to the best store in town, expecting the best goods at low prices, see and know for yourself. C. W. Jones.
Mr. Frank P. Stearns returned by steamer Saturday night from Warsaw, where he is building one of the three Munford Iron Banks, which are to be erected near the Rappahannock river. The Warsaw bank will be completed in three months. The other two will be built at Tappahannock and Matthews C. H.
The building on Main St. near the corner of Commerce, formerly occupied by Mr. S. G. Wallace as a dry goods store, is being thoroughly remodeled under the skillful hands of contractor E. G. Hefflin, and will be occupied as soon as finished by Wallace & Co. as a general furnishing establishment. The firm will also conduct the shoe business at their present stand as formerly.
Wanted.
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POTOMAC, FREDERICKSBURG AND
PIEDMONT RAILROAD.

Schedule for 1902.

No. 1.	Fredericksburg	Arr.	No. 2.	Fredericksburg
8:10 a.m.	White's	8:15 p.m.	8:10 a.m.	White's
8:20 a.m.	Miss Bond	8:25 p.m.	8:20 a.m.	Miss Bond
8:30 a.m.	Seacombville	8:35 p.m.	8:30 a.m.	Seacombville
8:40 a.m.	Furnace	8:45 p.m.	8:40 a.m.	Furnace
8:50 a.m.	Brook Road	8:55 p.m.	8:50 a.m.	Brook Road
9:00 a.m.	Steeple	9:05 p.m.	9:00 a.m.	Steeple
9:10 a.m.	Parker	9:15 p.m.	9:10 a.m.	Parker
9:20 a.m.	Thaler	9:25 p.m.	9:20 a.m.	Thaler
9:30 a.m.	Reynolds	9:35 p.m.	9:30 a.m.	Reynolds
9:40 a.m.	La Fayette	9:45 p.m.	9:40 a.m.	La Fayette
9:50 a.m.	Unionville	9:55 p.m.	9:50 a.m.	Unionville
10:00 a.m.	Taylor	10:05 p.m.	10:00 a.m.	Taylor
10:10 a.m.	Orange	10:15 p.m.	10:10 a.m.	Orange

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W. H. RICHARDS, Gen. Manager.
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Wood Blazes and Fences Burn.

In Orange and Spotsylvania forest fires raged last week. Near Spotsylvania Mr. Charles R. Andrews had 50 cords of wood and nearly 100 panels of fencing burned. The fire timber of Col. J. L. A. Rich, at Alick, was seriously damaged. From near Fredericksburg, Orange, come reports that a fire is burning, and the neighbors in the section are fighting it to save property. There have also been fires in other parts of Orange county, and in Loudoun county many of them doing considerable damage.

Revival Services.

At the revival services at the Christian church Sunday night Rev. D. W. Davis preached an able sermon to a large and deeply interested audience. One was received into the fellowship of the church, making three additions since the meeting commenced. Services will continue nightly until further announcement.

Fishing Shores at Home.

In a well 40 feet deep, near the residence of Mr. E. L. Sterne, in Stafford, fish swim about the bottom in large numbers. It is supposed they enter through some subterranean passage from the river. When Mr. Sterne wants fish for dinner all he has to do is to let down a net and haul them up.

R. Y. P. O. Officers.

The Young People's Union of the Baptist church elected the following officers at the Sunday evening meeting: B. S. Pates, president; T. J. Walker, vice-president; Miss Emma Owens, treasurer; Willie R. Quinn, recording secretary; Miss J. O. Aldridge, corresponding secretary.

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Mr. P. O. Fisher, formerly connected with the Washington Woolen Mills here, who left to accept a position as superintendent of the Crawford Woolen Mills, at Winchester, Va., was attacked with a severe pain in his foot while walking to church about three months ago. Since that time he has been confined to his bed, and the limb became so swollen and discolored that his foot was amputated last Thursday. Mr. Fisher was highly esteemed here, and his many friends will regret to learn of his misfortune.

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On motion of Mr. Rowe the general tax of 6 cents on all the property of the city, which the report recommended, be paid in three annual payments of 2 cents, was made payable in six annual payments of 10 cents on the \$100 of property. The perpetual charge of \$3 per year for property along the line connecting with the sewer was reduced to \$2. Mr. Rowe also amended the report so that all parties who have made connections with private sewers and paid for same are relieved from the annual tax of \$2, but are required to pay the 10-cent tax on the \$100 value yearly. The entire report was then adopted. Messrs. Bradley, Jones and Perry voting against it.

Mr. Embrey asked that the street committee be allowed to construct a sewer from Hotel Dannehl corner down Princess Anne street to connect with the main sewer on Charles street. Mr. Perry made a vigorous effort to have the committee instructed to extend the Main street sewer to the gas house, but failed.

On motion of Mr. Bradley the street committee was requested to furnish an estimate of the cost of the sewer from Hotel Dannehl at a called meeting of the council next Thursday night.

Mr. Cole asked that the street committee get estimate of costs for extending Main street sewer and report at next regular meeting of the council.

On motion of Mr. Cole the street committee was instructed to secure a dumping ground for the refuse of the city.

Mr. C. L. Kalmbach was granted the privilege of using a space of ten feet in the market-house lot where he proposes to exhibit a new light.

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